



# PAPA

Thinks the Twain  
May be in  
**Wapakoneta**  
And Has Notified the  
Authorities.

Game Tomorrow Between  
the Reds and Sidney's  
Strong Team.

Children's Picnic at McBeth's Park  
Yesterday, was Well Attended  
and Enjoyed. Wapakoneta News.

Wapakoneta, O., Aug. 2.—Marshall Smallwood of this city, and marshal Schecter of St. Marys, have received notice to be on the lookout for a run away couple. The letters are from Dr. S. Doyle of 1725 Cambridge street, Philadelphia, Pa., who says that his daughter Edie, aged 15 years, disappeared from home in company with a young man named Burton Burton had spoken of having relatives in this section of the state and the parents of the girl think they have come here. The young lady is described as having brown hair and blue eyes.

**Large Crowd.**

It is estimated that fully one thousand persons from this place and vicinity took in the children's excursion to McBeth's park. It was the occasion of a union Sunday school picnic and everything was free for the children. Commencing with eight o'clock the cars were all crowded until late in the afternoon. A number of those remained early while many spent the evening at the park. All those present report an enjoyable time.

**Want Damages.**

Anton Wehinger, of Wehinger Brothers, the manufacturers, Gutman, Ohio, has brought suit against George Zwiefel and wife for damages amounting to \$44.88. The suit is based upon a warranty deed for 97 acres of land in Clay township, in which defendants warranted and defended the title against all comers, in their transfer to the plaintiff. It was recently found that the December taxes for 1901 remained unpaid and were a lien against the property. Taxes amount to \$44.88 which plaintiff asks with interest.

**Rooters Galore.**

A special train load of rooters will accompany the Skinner team to this city tomorrow afternoon to play the Wapakoneta Reds at the local park. Sidney claims to be the champion independent team of the state but the Reds will try to knock some of the conceit out of them tomorrow. If they have any hard hitters Charlie Penning can soon take their batting nerve away from them, and the home team will make an extra effort to win this game, having been defeated before on home grounds. Following is Sidney's line-up: Kingseed, rf; Bissell, H.; Totman, of, Lally, 3b; Garvey, lb; Bateman, ss; Eichier, 2b; and captain; Doyle, c; Donover, Saltmarsh and Hudson, pitchers.

**They're Off.**

The season for shooting squirrels and woodcock opened yesterday and every local sportsman that owned or could borrow a gun, was in the woods. The squirrels are very plentiful but numbers have been shot during the past month notwithstanding the game law, which, however, is always very lax in this part of the country, the

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Farmers having to protect the game out of season.

**Personal.**

Miss Edna Gunther returned home yesterday after a few days visit with friends in St. Marys.

Mrs. William Schubert and sons are the guests of relatives at Ellwood, Ind.

Miss Mary Hockenfield, of Sidney, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Kippel.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Nagel have returned home from a two weeks stay at Mt. Clemens, Mich.

Mrs. George H. Eversman and son, William, of Cincinnati, are guests of her mother, Mrs. H. A. Geyer, of this city.

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**GRAND K. OF P. EXCURSION**

To Jackson, O., Tuesday, Aug. 5th, Under Auspices K. of P. Lodge, of Columbus Grove, O. Special train will leave east Lima, O., 6:35 a. m. Secure tickets of agent Detroit Southern at the Beloit Avenue depot. Step-over allowed at Springfield, Washington, C. H. Bainbridge and Wamsley.

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G. P. A.

**Not Over-Wise.**

There is an old allegorical picture of a girl scared at a grasshopper, but in the act of heedlessly treading on a snake. This is paralleled by the man who spends a large sum of money building a cyclone collar, but neglects to provide his family with a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy as a safeguard against bowel complaints, whose victims outnumber those of the cyclone a hundred to one. This remedy is everywhere recognized as the most prompt and reliable medicine in use for these diseases. For sale by W. M. Melville, old post office corner.

**OHIO RIVER EXCURSION.**

To Portsmouth, Ironton and Kenova, W. Va., Sunday, Aug. 10th, 1902, via Detroit Southern R. R. Special train will leave Lima Wayne street station at 5:00 a. m. Secure full information of agent Detroit Southern R. R., Lima, Ohio.

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Cut this out and take it to Wm. M. Melville's drug store, old post office corner, and get a free sample of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets, the best physic. They cleanse and invigorate the stomach, improve the appetite and regulate the bowels. Regular size, 25c per box.

**Tawns of Wrath.**

The singular habit of signifying anger by yawning is confined to the monkey tribe and is most marked in the baboon family, though the Gibraltar apes also indulge in it. It is probable that the gesture is originally intended to frighten an adversary by a display of teeth just as a dog does, and that the constant wide opening of the mouth produces an involuntary yawn. In fact, if a human being keeps on opening his mouth in this way a yawn will result. If two strange balloons are put together in the same case, they immediately confront each other and commence yawning, and if vexed or insulted by visitors they will do the same thing.

**CASTORIA.**  
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**Egyptian Cotton Plant Disease.**  
Egypt is suffering from a new plague which has come in the form of a small, mushroomlike cryptogamous fungus and is infesting the cotton plant, says the London Telegraph. As 85 per cent in value of Egyptian exports consist of cotton and cottonseed this fresh trouble is a matter of some moment. Damp and chill, it seems, favor the destroying agent, which is of a rusty color, and as usual is most disastrous on poor soils.

**A Gift From Dear Paul.**  
Free copies of Mr. Kruger's book on the war in South Africa are to be sent to the rulers, statesmen and elected representatives of all the civilized countries of the world.

## TOPICS

### For Divine Services Tomorrow

### Where the Day of Rest is Observed.

### Hours at Which Religious Services Will be Held in the City. Interesting Sermons are Promised.

**First Congregational.**

South Elizabeth street, near Market street. Rev. J. L. Swinson, pastor. Morning service at 10:00; Bible school at 11:00; Y. P. S. C. E. at 6:30. Short sermon at 7:30. All seats free. The piano cordially invited.

**German Reformed Church.**

On west Wayne street. Sunday school as usual at 9 a. m.; regular services at 10 o'clock. Members and friends are cordially invited to attend. King's Daughters meeting Thursday evening. German school every morning at 8:30 at the west building. Next Tuesday evening the Rev. Mr. Paul Gerhard, missionary to Japan, will address the congregation and Y. P. societies on our work in Japan, beginning at 7:30 o'clock. Paul H. Land, pastor.

**First Church of Christ (Scientist).** Second floor of Masonic building. Services Sunday morning at 10:30, subject, "Spirit." Sunday school at 11:40. Wednesday evening meeting at 7:30. Reading room open daily, except Sunday, from 2 to 5 p. m. and on Tuesday and Friday evening, from 7 to 9. All are welcome.

**Union Mission Chapel**

Jefferson street Mission. D. L. Worts superintendent. Sunday school at 2:15 p. m.; prayer meeting every Friday evening at 7:30.

**St. Paul's Lutheran Church,** Corner west North and Elizabeth streets. Rev. F. P. Bossart, pastor. Services at 10:15 a. m., subject, "Christ's Love for the Holy City." Sunday school at 9 a. m. All are welcome.

**Spring Street Lutheran Church**

General Synod, corner west Spring and Pierce streets. Rev. O. C. Kramer, pastor. Services Sabbath morning at 10:30 o'clock, subject, "Temptation." No evening services. Sabbath school at 9:15 a. m. Strangers are always welcome. You are cordially invited to worship with us.

**U. S. Church.**

Corner Spring and Union streets. A. C. Reed, pastor. Sabbath school at 9 a. m. Rev. McCoy, a former pastor of Epworth L. M. church of this city, will preach at 10:15 a. m. The pastor will preach at 7:30 p. m. Y. P. C. U. Tuesday at 7:30 p. m.; prayer and class meeting Thursday evening at 7:30. The official board will meet Monday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

**West Wayne St. Church of Christ,** W. A. Brundage, pastor, residence 829 west Wayne. Bible school at 9:15. H. Tracy, superintendent. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6:15. J. M. Rudy, of Cedar Rapids, Iowa, has consented to preach at 10:30. His subject will be: "The Growing Christian." Come and enjoy the services. W. A. Brundage will preach at 7:30, subject, "The Man That Challenged the World." All are welcome.

**First Baptist Church.**

Rev. W. E. Fecman, former pastor of the church, will conduct worship and preach at 10:30 a. m. Sunday school at 9:15. No evening service.

**INDIA READY TO HAIL KING.**

**Levee at Delhi in Honor of Edward to Be a Gorgeous Affair.**

The levee in Delhi at which Vicerey Curzon will proclaim King Edward emperor of India in the presence of Indian princes in full state promises to be the most magnificent spectacle of his kind ever seen in India, writes the Bombay correspondent of the New York World. All the resources of the Indian government will be taxed to make the gathering gorgeous and picturesque, while the native princes will vie with the government and with each other in the splendor of their uniforms, jewels and trappings.

Viceroy Curzon, she who was Miss Lester of Chicago, will fill the most prominent part in this pageant, and she has devised for it a costume of the highest white silk, overlaid with priceless real lace and shimmering with jewels.

It is expected that Mrs. and the Misses Lester will attend the ceremony. Among other Americans present will be Douglas Grant, who will leave London shortly for a tour around the world.

Mrs. T. Bridleman, of Marshallville, Mich., was troubled with salt rheum for thirteen years and had tried a number of doctors without relief. After two applications of Bader Salve, her hands became better and in a short time, she was entirely cured. Beware of substitutes. For sale by H. F. Vorkamp, corner North and Main streets.

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**A BUSY WOMAN LAWYER.**

Miss Margaret Burnet, a Portia of the New York Bar. It is true, but none the less true, to say of Miss Margaret May Burnet of New York that she combines the dignity and astuteness of a Portia with the athletic prowess of a Diana. Imagine Portia modernized and strictly up to date, and you will have a fairly accurate idea of the personality of the young woman lawyer who presides over the Rockefeller branch of the Legal Aid society.

Imagine Shakespeare's clever heroine after a strenuous day in the halls of justice—the erstwhile sober, hard-headed Portia relaxing her bent stiffened legs by a run over the golf links; imagine her tossing the tennis ball and tackling on the college gridiron or developing the judiciary biceps by a friendly bout with the "gloves."

Just imagine the charming, clever Portia of classic memory doing all these modern athletic "stunts" and if you would see the materialization of

MISS MARGARET MAY BURNET. your fancy step into a tiny office on the second floor of 714 Tenth avenue. Here Miss Burnet can be found every working day from 8 o'clock in the morning until 5 in the evening, and it is safe to say that here you will find the hardest worked lawyer in this city, barring none.

When visited about 11 o'clock one morning recently, there were fifteen clients awaiting Miss Burnet's return from the Tenth District court, where as her secretary explained, she was engaged in a trial. Her clients were men and women in the middle and lower walks of life.

"Yes, I do everything in the athletic line," Miss Burnet said in answer to a question. "I play golf, baseball, football, basketball and tennis, which I like best of all. I am also very fond of boxing, and I think it one of the best recreations for women. I am only surprised that more women do not learn the art of handling the gloves, especially women whose work takes them out a great deal unprotected."

As an example of athletic young womanhood Miss Burnet is probably unequalled by any other girl of the period. At her home in Madison, N. J., she is as famous for her prowess in outdoor sports as she is for her scholarly attainments among the members of her profession.

There is nothing in the line of athletics which pretty Portia does not do and do well, and added to this is a reputation as a fine cook and seamstress.—New York Letter in St. Louis Republic.

**Mrs. Cornwallis-West on Dress.** If I were asked to write or speak concerning the ethics of clothes, I should take as my text one word only—"suitability." Many women buy a hat or a gown or a cloak because it appeals to their fancy at the moment. Very few of them, however, stop to inquire, "Is it suitable?" You may go to a garden party or a seaside fete in the most delicate and fanciful sort of costume, with a bat all roses and tulle and a dress that is a suggestion of Le Petit Trianon brought up to date. In rustic surroundings such a costume is charming, but wear the same sort of thing in town without a qualm of conscience, and at once the thing becomes vulgar and unsuitable.

"I fear that Englishwomen are greater offenders in this regard than are my own countrywomen. They are less apt to be so correct in detail as your well dressed American, but a mistake made by women of both nations, I think, nowadays is in allowing young girls, especially at evening entertainments, to wear the same dark colors, rich materials and heavy ornaments as do the married women of their circle. Surely the charm of a young girl is her daintiness, her sweetness and her youth. When she wears heavy black velvets and trailing satins and elaborate creations in applique lace like her own mother, how can she expect to retain this most potent charm of her personality? Again I come back to my text word, 'suitability.'

**A Sachet Pillow.**

A sachet pillow to perfume the hair is a belonging of many dainty girls. It is merely an oblong of folded wadding between whose layers powdered Orris root is sprinkled, the whole wrapped in a case of fine linen that is lace edged. This pillow is used on top of the ordinary bed pillow just at the point where the head will rest.—Harper's Bazaar.

**The Neck and Throat.**

The neck and throat may be whitened if the following paste is spread on a soft rag and wrapped round the neck every night: Take one ounce of honey, one teaspoonful of lemon juice, six drops of oil of bitter almonds and the whites of two eggs, and to these ingredients add enough fine oatmeal to make a smooth paste.

Careful housewives see that their pieces of linen are used in rotation, for if one be on the table longer than another it is pretty sure to wear out long before the rest of the set.

For the woman who likes to do a little pressing at home there is a single gas stove the size and shape of the iron upon which it sits.

The law in Germany limits woman's labor to eleven hours, with a midday rest of an hour and a half.

A ten cent wooden bowl may be converted into the prettiest sort of a hanging flower dish.

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or woman, but of a life which shall be broad enough for her to unfold her own nature. The worst slavery is that which makes a woman pretend to be a man.

The strenuous life for a girl is a form of hysteria. It is a functional disorder. It sacrifices strength for spasms.

Suppose she is at college, studying. How shall she get the best intellectual results—accuracy of perception, breadth of vision, delicacy of taste, respect for truth? By disregarding the balance of her physical and mental nature and plunging into an intense pursuit of special knowledge, fierce competition for marks and honors and prizes? The achievement, whatever it may be will hardly compensate her for its probable cost. Poise is more precious than penetration. Learning may be a climb, but wisdom is growth. The best that we know is the harvest of a quiet mind. The study of scholarship departs upon a normal life. The finest woman's college is a college for women. The best girls in it are never imitation boys.—Henry Van Dyke in Harper's Bazaar.

No woman ought to arrive at this terrible state of misery, because these symptoms are a sure indication of womb troubles. She must remember that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is almost an infallible cure for all female ills, such as irregularity of periods, which cause weak stomach, sick headache, etc., displacements and inflammations of the womb, or any of the multitudes of illnesses which beset the female organism.

If there is anything in your case about which you would like special advice, write freely to Mrs. Pinkham. No man will see your letter. She can surely help you, for no person in America has such a wide experience in treating female ills as she has had.

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For County Auditor,  
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Wm. KLINGER.

For County Recorder,  
P. T. MELL.  
For County Commissioner,  
WILLIAM J. JUDKINS.  
For Infirmary Director,  
DAVID STEPLETON.

**DEMOCRATIC STATE CONVENTION.**

Pursuant to the order of the Democratic State Central Committee notice is hereby given that the convention of the Democrats of the State of Ohio to nominate candidates for state offices to be voted for at the November election 1902 will be held at Sandusky, Ohio on Tuesday and Wednesday, September 2nd and 3rd. Each county will be entitled to one delegate and one alternate for each 500 votes cast for James Kilbourne at the November election, 1901, and one additional delegate and alternate for a remainder of votes exceeding 500.

Dlegates to this convention shall be elected through primaries, delegate conventions or mass conventions, the holding of which at least ten days public notice shall have been previously given designating the time and places for holding such primaries and conventions, and called by the controlling committee of the party in such counties; except that the delegations from counties containing a city in which there is a registration of electors, and in which city the number of voting precincts forms a majority of the precincts of the county, shall be selected by a direct vote of the people or by a convention composed of delegates selected by a direct vote of the people at a primary election held in pursuance of the laws of this state. No county, central or executive committee shall have power to name delegations to the state convention.

All delegations shall submit their credentials to the chairman and secretary of the state committee at the West House, Sandusky, on Tuesday, September 2nd, not later than 6 o'clock p.m. The delegations will meet by districts at 5 o'clock p.m. on Tuesday, September 2nd, at such places as may be designated by the committee on arrangements for the purpose of selecting members of the committee and members of the committees of the convention. All of such committees will meet at places to be designated by the committee on arrangements at 7:30 o'clock p.m. of the same day.

The convention will be called to order in the Assembly Hall at Cedar Point, on Wednesday, September 3rd, at 10:30 o'clock a.m. The temporary offices will be: Chairman, Tom. L. Johnson, Cleveland; secretary, William H. Tomlinson, Dayton; sergeant-at-arms, W. H. Williams, Columbus.

At such convention candidates shall be named for the following offices:

Secretary of State, Lieutenant governor, one judge of the supreme court for the long term, one judge of the supreme court for the short term, one member of the board of public works, and one dairy and food commissioner.

The apportionment of delegates and alternates in the convention shall be as follows:

Allen	10	Licking	12
Adams	6	Logan	4
Ashland	5	Lorain	5
Ashville	3	Lucas	22
Athens	4	Madison	4
Auilaize	7	Mahoning	9
Benton	8	Marion	7
Brown	6	Medina	2
Butler	15	Meigs	4
Carroll	3	Mercer	5
Champaign	5	Miami	7
Clark	9	Monroe	7
Clinton	3	Montgomery	24
Clermont	7	Morgan	4
Columbus	8	Morrow	4
Coshocton	7	Muskingum	11
Crawford	9	Nobles	3
Cuyahoga	51	Ottawa	5
Dickinson	16	Paulding	4
Defiance	6	Perry	6
Delaware	6	Pickaway	7
Erie	8	Pike	4
Fairfield	10	Portage	4
Fayette	4	Preble	5
Franklin	40	Putnam	11
Gallia	3	Richland	11
Geauga	1	Ross	9
Greene	4	Sandusky	7
		Scioto	5

Seneca ..... 9  
Shelby ..... 16  
Hancock ..... 9  
Hardin ..... 8  
Harrison ..... 3  
Henry ..... 6  
Highland ..... 7  
Hocking ..... 5  
Holmes ..... 5  
Huron ..... 6  
Jackson ..... 4  
Jefferson ..... 4  
Knox ..... 7  
Lake ..... 2  
Lawrence ..... 4

W. J. FREY, Chairman.

HARRY F. PAYER, Secretary.

**OPEN LETTER TO PRESIDENT.**

At a meeting of the Anti-Imperialist League held at Lake George, N.Y., on Monday, an open letter was addressed to President Roosevelt by the committee appointed to investigate the conditions and conduct of the army in the Philippines. The letter charges that "demoralization in the army in the Philippines was more general and all pervasive than has been generally believed."

In arraigning the army the committee claim that they are prepared to support their charges by evidence before the Senate Philippine committee, by the findings of the courts-martial, by the files of the War Department, and by other accessible documentary proof.

The following criminal acts are alleged to have been committed by members of the army in the Philippines: That kidnapping and murder have taken place under circumstances of aggravated brutality, robbery, fortune of men and women and assault on latter and infliction of death on other parties on the strength of evidence elicited through torture.

The committee further claims that a commissioned officer of the United States army murdered in cold blood a Roman Catholic priest in order to steal the priest's money, and that a certain Filipino woman was attacked and tortured by American soldiers.

The anti-imperialists also claim that half the truth has not been told in regard to the unnecessary brutality shown the Filipinos and that many facts have been suppressed or passed over without a proper attempt to bring the culprits to justice.

Andrew Carnegie is a member of the investigating committee, but, as he was in Europe and it was impossible to consult him in regard to the letter, his signature was not appended.

The committee declares that it stands ready to co-operate with Secretary Root's order of April 15, to the end that all offenders may be punished.

Those who signed the open letter were: Charles Francis Adams, chairman; Carl Schurz, Edwin Burritt Smith, Moorfield Story and Herbert Welsh.

**DON'T HANDICAP SMALL CITIES.**

By claiming that a city of government would be "cumbersome" for a "village" of 10,000, is it intended to create the impression that being "cities" Cleveland and Cincinnati shall have as extensive a municipal system as either Chicago or New York? or that because they happen to have over 10,000 population, cities like Newark and Zanesville shall have as extensive a system as is necessary in either Cleveland or Cincinnati?

Not even Columbus or Toledo need as much municipal machinery as either Cleveland or Cincinnati; Dayton and Canton do not need as much municipal machinery as Columbus or Toledo; Newark, Mt. Vernon, Marion and cities of that size do not require as much municipal machinery as Dayton or Canton. The line of demarcation at 15,000 or 10,000 is, therefore, not only preposterous, but inimical to cities of less than 10,000 inhabitants.

Why not leave the line of demarcation at 5000 where it has been since the organization of the state?

When a municipality gets above 5,000 population its economic requirements are as potent though not as extensive as a municipality of double the number of inhabitants or ten times the number. It must have police, sidewalks, water works, sewers, light and fire protection; and it requires a roster of civic officials to give attention to all these affairs. There are some villages of less than 5000 in Ohio today which now possess these modern advantages and have more energy and enterprise in them than have some of the sleepy old municipalities that have grown out of their swaddling clothes but seem content to stand still in their comfortable lethargy, "the world forgetting, by the world forgot."

There are "villages" of 2000 people that have paved streets, good sidewalks, water works and electric lights, and these villages need an amplified form of government more than the

"pokey old town" of 15,000 that has the "dry rot" and seems constitutionally opposed to further progress and development.

The enterprising city of 5000 needs a chief police officer, a corporation attorney, a corporation clerk and a supervisor or commissioner of streets and sidewalks. These comprehend the four chief departments in urban economies. There is also the imperative need of a mayor or other executive functionary, and a council or other legislative function. The larger cities have these same separate governmental divisions, only with a larger complement of officials in each department depending entirely upon the size of the city and the volume of its municipal business details.

Why not lay down a code that will divide municipalities of less than 10,000 to have the same system of local government that seems imperative to larger municipalities whose interests are coincidental though more extensive? The citizens of the small city can determine this matter according to their needs. They can have one police official or a dozen; three councilmen or thirty; one clerical officer who may be called director of accounts, or auditor or some other title; one street commissioner or a commissioner and as many assistants as may be deemed necessary; one counsel for the corporation or a firm of attorneys; the people must pay for these services and can or should have as much machinery to operate their municipal government as they are willing to pay for, while the larger cities can have as much more as their needs require.

The PRESS speaks in behalf of the small cities of the small cities of the state and protests against their being humbled, reduced in rank, crippled by village restrictions and a stumbling block put in the path of their progress to give greater powers to the larger cities in the code that must provide for the government of all the municipalities in the state.—Columbus Press.

**GREAT ATTRACTION AT McBETH PARK. CORA BECKWITH.****CHAMPION LADY SWIMMER OF THE WORLD.**

The best show since Noah left the ark, will be given at McBeth's park next week commencing Sunday afternoon, when Manager Maxwell will present for the first time in Lima the greatest novelty of the season, Miss Cora Beckwith, the champion lady swimmer of the world. Her marvelous exhibitions will be given in a huge tent on the lawn near the pavilion, in a monster tank containing 40,000 gallons of water. Miss Beckwith is the only human being that ever swam the English channel, and on September 25th she will swim the whirl pool rapids at Niagara Falls on a wager of \$10,000. Exhibitions



every afternoon and evening before and after the performance in the pavilion and during the intermission.

The vaudeville bill in the pavilion comprises some of the stars of the comedy world. The management realizing that fact that good attractions attract big crowds have engaged the best talent available for next week commencing Sunday at the mistletoe. Whistling Tom Browne, who was the great big hit in Hoyt's "A Trip to China Town" will be seen in his famous specialties.

Gavin and Platte, the King and Queen of farce comedy have a new act this year, "A Stolen Kiss" and have been winning fresh laurels every where.

Brackett and Gerard, among the best singers on the vaudeville stage, will render the very latest descriptive songs and illustrate them with the finest views yet shown at McBeth's.

There will be preaching services at the Market street Presbyterian church Sunday at 10:30 a.m. Rev. Theo. M. Chalmers, of Chicago, will speak on "Present Opportunities for Christian Work among the Jews."

**PERSONAL MENTION.**

Mrs. Anna Wren, of this city, has charge of the Carter House, at Jackson Center, W. U. Morrison residing.

Dr. S. G. Good, of Sidney, was in the city yesterday on business.

Misses Dora and Hazel Foster are visiting their grandparents in Swartzers.

Mrs. Emmet Clem is visiting friends in Carysville, Ohio.

Miss Elsie Priest, of west Haller street, is visiting friends in Sidney.

Miss Agnes Clark, of Cleveland, is the guest of her uncle, Rev. A. E. Manning.

Miss Joe Lynch, of north West street, is the guest of her mother in Clyde.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Rhoda and son Carl, of south Pine street, left today for a visit to Niagara Falls and Buffalo.

I. Doyle, a prominent oil producer of Sisterville, Va., is the guest of A. D. Rhodes and family, of east Market street.

Mrs. Gus. Diehl and daughters Helen and Vivian, of Tippecanoe City, spent this week with Will Diehl and family of north Elizabeth street. Mr. Diehl will come up tomorrow to accompany them home.

Mr. A. F. Combs, of Linden street, has been called to Beaver Dam on account of the illness of her father.

Hugo Sellman, of N. L. Michael's, leaves tomorrow for Mackinac and Georgian Bay to spend a three week's vacation.

H. A. Albrecht returned yesterday from a vacation which was spent in New York, Boston and among Canadian fisheries.

Judge and Mrs. Price left for Wheeling, W. Va., on a visit.

Miss Margaret Quinn, who has been the guest of Miss Nellie Lynch for the past week, returned yesterday to Van Wert, where she makes her home with her brother, Rev. Father Quinn.

Deputy sheriff Freet, accompanied by his wife, leaves tomorrow for Gasport, Ind., for a visit with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Kelly, Mike Kelly, Mrs. P. J. Cunningham, and Mrs. M. Brennan left this afternoon for Canada.

G. J. Baxter, of Strawn Coffee country, Kansas, came in from his western home last evening to visit his father, James Baxter, of Amanda township.

Prof. H. W. Pears of the Lima Business College leaves tomorrow for his summer vacation. He will be accompanied by his family and Mrs. Clem, and will be absent from the city about a week.

Mrs. D. A. Rydman entertained the Extra Nous club at her home on north Metcalf street, Wednesday afternoon, when Manager Maxwell will present for the first time in Lima the greatest novelty of the season, Miss Cora Beckwith, the champion lady swimmer of the world.

The following ladies were in attendance: Mesdames F. Faulkner, B. F. Bourle, Geo. Beaumont and T. Walding and her guest was Miss Anna Patrick.

N. L. Michael left for Put-in-Bay today to meet Mrs. Michael and daughter Irene, who have been visiting in Cleveland and they will return home with him tomorrow. Mrs. Michael was accompanied to Put-in-Bay from Cleveland by Mr. and Mrs. C. K. Halle, Richard Halle and Garfield Weil.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Richie have returned from a fortnight's visit at Cambridge Springs, Pa.

Mrs. J. F. Dagley, of Harriman Team, is the guest of Mrs. J. D. Armstrong, of west Wayne street.

Testimony in Contempt Cases. Charleston, W. Va., Aug. 2.—J. Carney, who acted as a guard at the Collins colliery, testified in the trial of John Richards and others that his instructions from Mr. Collins were to stop the men going on the property to call to them three times and if they did not stop to fire. He says he did not fire at any of them, and gave up the place because he did not think the men were treated right. Numerous defendants were on the stand and denied they were served with injunctions.

More Resignations.

Minneapolis, Aug. 2.—Colonel Fred W. Ames tendered his resignation as superintendent of police to Acting Mayor Powers. The latter named Captain Henry Getchell as acting chief, thus going counter to the wishes of Mayor Ames, who had selected Captain Charles R. Hill for the place. Captain John Fitchette, asked by Powers to resign, replied that he had tendered his resignation to Mayor Ames at West Baden, effective on Sept. 1.

**COLUMBUS GROVE****Scoring School at Putnam County Fair.****Last Rites Over the Remains of H. K. Hott, Held from the M. E. Church.**

Columbus Grove, O., Aug. 2.—The Northwestern Ohio Swine Breeders' association has arranged for a scoring

street to be held on the Putnam county fair grounds, Thursday, August 14. The services of expert judges will be secured, whose duty it will be to train the breeders and those who desire instruction, in scoring animals. Several different breeds have been selected as specimens for judging at the school. The local judges and breeders will pass their opinions, after which the experts will step in and criticize or comment their action.

The Putnam county Patterson exercises for the 135 pupils who were

WANTS, FOR RENT, LOST,  
FOR SALE, ETC.  
WANTED.

NTED--Men to make up an extra  
to work in the yards of the  
Southern railroad. Wage  
per day. Call at the D. S.  
and office. 1-31.

NTED--Twenty mowers at once;  
strike; new shop. Wilks Foundry  
company, Toledo, O., east side. 9-12.

NTHD--Situation by bookkeeper  
as constant of 10 years exper-  
tise to operate typewriter  
and take shorthand. Reference and  
Andres H. C. F., care Lima  
Democrat. th-sat-mon

FOR RENT.

NT--Two unfurnished front  
and back room with outside  
gas and large hall, gas in room,  
gas in cellar. Inquire at 520  
Kings street, or call up new  
line 217.

NT--Good Room house, with  
improvements. 736 west  
street. Inquire at 886 west  
street, old phone 8232-green,  
th-sat-mon

FOR SALE.

NT--A new six-room house  
furnished cellar, a good size  
and water in the house. 12-  
David Hughes, 1060 Bell  
avenue. 1-31.

NT--One monthly payment  
several piano cost \$100, price  
of one now Kimball cost  
\$100, must be sold at  
John E. P. Wilkins, 21 and  
one-half block.

LOST.

nter with several black  
and white. A liberal  
sum paid for its return to  
the 121 West Wayne street.  
6-31.

GEO. P. LULL,

ICAL TEACHER  
comes September  
less, 121 West Wayne Street.  
4-31.

NOTHING

Retard the Construc-  
tion of the Line.

ations Conducted Suc-  
cessfully and Quietly

the Fort Wayne, Van Wert and  
Lima Traction Company is  
Ready to Proceed With  
the Real Work.

Information to that con-  
cerning yesterday's telegram, con-  
cerning incorporation of the Fort  
Wayne and Lima Traction  
Company is furnished by the Fort  
Wayne which has the follow-  
ing:

Fort Wayne, Van Wert and  
Lima Traction company, with a cap-  
ital of \$100,000, is to be the  
head of the new interurban line  
put out of Fort Wayne to the  
ard, and the preparation of the  
es of incorporation were com-  
today and the document for  
in the office of the secretary of  
for proper record.

the personnel of the new company  
les ten well-known and responsi-  
ness men, Indiana, Ohio and  
York being represented in the  
orate, and the formation of the  
ay is the outcome of the move-  
which has been in progress for  
months. The title of the  
ould indicate that the Fleming  
on Fort Wayne to New Haven  
materially extended--at least  
ia, and perhaps a still greater  
constructing company was or-  
at Lima during the present  
of offices are to be opened in  
within a short time. The  
behind the big project have  
done from publicity and proceeded  
and systematically with the  
ion of their plans. All the  
have been secured and inci-  
details looked after, so that  
actual work of construction  
within a very short time,  
will be pushed rapidly to com-

of the remainder of our  
stock at reduced  
to close, Green's Book.

## ALLEN COUNTY LEADS

In Excellent Showing Made in North-  
western Ohio During July.

Lucas County Looms up with an Increase Sur-  
prisingly Great for That Field--Ohio  
and Indiana Oil News.

The little pool in Jefferson town-  
ship, of Adams county, which the  
Bellevue Oil Co., revealed when they  
drilled in their No. 1 well on the J.  
Tinsker, or Flinckouge farm, some  
time ago, is again to the front with  
two big producers, one of which is on  
a par with any well drilled in Indiana  
for months. The devine company  
has completed two more on the Hun-  
sicker, which is located in the south-  
east quarter of section 4, Jefferson  
and No. 3 is thus far the best of the  
lot. It was shot and immediately re-  
sponded with a great flow, putting 36  
bbls of oil into the tanks in 24 hours.  
No. 2 was also a good one making 15  
bbls the first day after it was shot.  
These wells are rather sure indica-  
tions that an extension to the Blue  
Creek or Chattanooga pool has been  
discovered, though it may be found  
to be spotted. Several other wells  
have been drilled in since the original  
Hunsicker was completed, but none  
have been more than ordinary  
productiveness. To the southwest of  
these wells, Kenyon & Kidder have  
completed a test on the Wm. Delavan  
farm, located in section 6, which was  
completely devoid of oil, it was thought  
useless to waste a shot.

**Allen County Producers.**

This little pool in section 31, of  
Philmont township, Allen county, has  
furnished another good producer, this  
one being the Columbia Petroleum  
company's No. 12 W. Woods, in the  
northeast quarter of the section  
which put 150 bbls of oil into the tank  
during the first 24 hours.

The Phane Oil Co.'s No. 2 on the  
Calvin Hoenstein lease, southwest  
quarter of section 2, Richfield, was a  
good producer, and the Empire State  
Oil Co.'s No. 1, M. W. Zimmerman  
section 21, made 5 bbls the first 24  
hours after shot.

This section of territory, east of  
Beaver Creek, and along the railroad  
from that place to Bluffton, is the  
earliest in Allen county at present  
and the new wells have been almost  
uniformly producers of the paying  
kind.

Along the main line of the Allen  
township, M. Levinson has completed  
No. 1 well on the H. Stoddard farm, sec-  
tion 3, which encountered a dose of  
the salty fluid.

In the western Allen county field  
the Federal Oil Co. & Heming com-  
pleted a neighbor in their No. 3 P.  
claim, section 18, Marion township, H.  
St. Straight No. 1 Peter Wagner  
proved to be a good producer.

Two dusters are the latest in Shaw-  
nee township, one being the Union  
Gas & Oil Co.'s, No. 1, L. Reid, section  
11, while the other was the Ohio Oil  
Co.'s No. 3 Sharp heirs farm, section  
24.

To those who have not followed  
the trend of work closely, the record  
of operations in the Buckeye oil field  
during July, will be somewhat of a  
surprise, but the results were to be  
expected after the strong campaign  
which has been during the spring  
months and it is only surprising that  
larger decreases are not shown.

In the northwestern Ohio districts  
there were 326 wells completed, with  
a new production amounting to 5028,  
while 21 of the new wells were dusters.  
These figures are to be compared  
with 359 new wells and 336  
bbls of new production for June, thus  
showing a decrease in the number of  
wells of 25, and a falling off in the  
amount of new production amounting  
to 322 bbls. Likewise, there was a  
decrease of 23 in the number of  
dusters.

The record for the month of June  
was so surprisingly high, that it was  
hardly to be expected that July would  
come up to the same standard, and  
from the reports of new work under-  
way, it is probable that June will  
stand as the banner month of the  
year within a short time. The  
work behind the big project have  
done from publicity and proceeded  
and systematically with the  
ion of their plans. All the  
have been secured and inci-  
details looked after, so that  
actual work of construction  
within a very short time,  
will be pushed rapidly to com-

A fine dinner at the Man-  
hattan for 25 cents. 8tf

A wheelman's tool bag isn't com-  
plete without a bottle of Dr. Thomas'  
Electric Oil. Heals cuts, bruises,  
stings, sprains. Monarch over pain.

For a nice summer drink try Lima  
Malt Extract. 227-s&w-tf

## ONE:

Arrest was Ordered  
Today

On the Charge

Of Selling Liquor to  
Minors.

Eli Brentlinger Alleged to  
Have Sold to Six Young  
Lads.

Arthur C. Reis Fined on the Charge  
of Petit Larceny—Two Women  
Fined for Disorderly  
Conduct.

TODAY, in mayor's court, a warrant  
was issued for the arrest of Eli Brent-  
linger, proprietor of a saloon near the  
C. H. & D. depot, against whom com-  
plaint has been made on the allegation  
of selling intoxicating drinks to  
minors. The names of six youths who  
are alleged to have purchased drinks  
at Brentlinger's place on July 16, are in  
the hands of the police and are as  
follows: Harry Bathol, aged 8  
years; Robert Kelly, aged 11; Willie  
Cook aged 11; Clarence Arnes, aged 10;  
Howard Bathol, aged 10; Clifford Disney, aged 12. The defendant  
in the case has not yet been ar-  
raigned.

Fined Ten and Costs.

Arthur C. Reis, the south side young  
man who was arrested day before yester-  
day on a charge of having stolen  
\$2 from his roommate at the Alpine  
hotel, was arraigned in mayor's court  
this morning. He pleaded guilty to the  
petit larceny charge paid back the  
amount of money he had stolen from  
his friend and was fined ten dollars  
and costs for his escapade. He also  
paid a board bill at the Alpine hotel.

For Disorderly Conduct.

Two females were among the pris-  
oners in the regular list in mayor's  
court this morning. They had been  
arrested by patrolmen Grant and Hill-  
stein on charges of disorderly conduct  
and had registered at the hotel de  
Pastiche as Viola Selden and Martha  
Lee. Martha and Viola admitted that  
they had behaved in a disorderly manner  
and each was assessed five  
copes and the costs of prosecution.

Ordered to "Hike."

John Burkard and Harry Miller, ar-  
rested on suspicion, were released and  
ordered to "hike" out of town. Harry  
Deming, another stranger, who was picked  
up for drunkenness, was also dismissed  
from custody without being fined.

Michael's Monday special.  
Boy's 25c cloth and washable  
knee pants at 15c.

Self Protection

demands that you be on the alert to  
see that you get Painkiller (Perry  
Davis) when you ask for it; some  
dealers will try and persuade you to  
take something else, claimed to be  
just as good; insist upon getting Pain-  
killer, the remedy which has been the  
world's family doctor for 60 years; it  
never fails to stop diarrhea, griping  
pain in the stomach or bowels, dys-  
entery, etc. Large bottles 25 and 50  
cents.

AT THE BIG TENT

Rev. Sims will Preach To-  
morrow at Usual Hour.

For the Lord's day the themes will  
be: At 10:30, "I Am Not Ashamed  
of the Gospel of Christ;" at 7:30,  
"How Shall We Escape?"

The final service of the meeting  
under the direction of Revs. Updike  
and Easton was held last night. A  
very large audience gathered and  
listened to a powerful sermon by Rev.  
Updike and sweet singing by Prof.  
Baston and Miss Lizzie McKibben.  
The sermon was on the theme  
"America" and pointed out the change  
to our fair land and the corrupting  
influence within it. The remedy for  
all and for sinick men being, not phil-  
anthropic institutions but Christ.  
None of these should not Christ of His  
due while right in their place will  
never save the soul. The fathers,  
mothers and children of our land  
should study God's word and live by it.  
At the close an ice cream social  
was held and a very enjoyable time had.  
Prof. Baston left for his home  
in Chicago and Rev. Updike goes to  
Indianapolis for Sunday. Many friends  
and well-wishers will pray for their  
success elsewhere. The meeting has  
an average production of 20-16 bbls,  
which is not so bad for Lucas county.

Lucas county shows 12 new wells  
during the month of July, with a pro-  
duction amounting to 242 bbls, and no  
dry holes, thus revealing an increase  
of 6 in the number of wells and of 165  
bbls new production. A few of the  
wells were exceptionally large pro-  
ducers, and thus the increase in produc-  
tion was occasioned by these un-  
expected big ones. The Dodd farm  
well in Waterville township, is re-  
ported as worth 125 bbls, over half  
the new production for the county  
coming from this one well. Taken all  
together the new wells would show  
an average production of 20-16 bbls,  
which is not so bad for Lucas county.

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## CHRISTIAN

Fellowship the Basis of Jef-  
ferson St. Mission.

And the Conditions of Membership  
are the "Seven Steps in the  
Way of Life."

The basis of the Union mission in  
Lima, at 1017 north Jefferson street,  
is that of Christian fellowship, as set  
forth in the word of God, and indicated  
in the "Seven Steps in the Way of Life."

Church preference is no bar to  
membership in this mission work. If  
the true spirit of Christian fellowship  
exists and is manifest.

Services every Sunday morning and  
evening, also every Wednesday evening.

Year attendance, co-operation  
are earnestly solicited. Come in  
the spirit of the Master.

Following is the doctrinal and  
practical outline of the work:

I hereby express a desire to become  
a full concomitant, active, faithful  
and confirmed member in the church  
of our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ.

1. To this end I promise faithfully  
to read and study the word of God  
and to attend the various means of  
grace in connection with the church,  
that I may learn and know the truth  
as it is in Christ Jesus, and what is  
required of me as a dutiful member.

2. I promise honestly to accept in  
honesty and sincerity the truth in Christ  
Jesus as it may come, from time to  
time, to my mind and understanding  
for I know that without faith it is im-  
possible to please God.

3. I promise to the best of my  
ability and opportunity and strength  
to honestly and faithfully obey the  
Divine precepts, and ordinances of  
God blameless; and wherein I may  
fail in thought, word or deed, I plead  
and will plead, the forgiveness and  
mercy of God, to the end that I may  
become a true and faithful follower of  
the Lord Jesus Christ.

4. I will confess in my life and  
with my mouth, the truth as it is in  
Christ. My tongue shall on all proper  
occasions speak forth the honor and  
praises of my Lord and Master. I will  
watch against unfaithfulness, and  
renounce in any way, denying the  
Lord who has bought us, and who is  
saving us from sin. In my words I  
will ever own, confess and honor  
Christ, my Savior.

5. I will seek divine communion in  
the Spirit, that I may experience the  
divine favor, approval and enjoyment  
in my mind, soul and spirit; that I  
may know his love, and be satisfied  
with his presence and the guidance  
and comforts of the spirit.

6. I will try to be steadfast, in-  
vincible, always abounding in the  
work of the Lord. I will study how to  
be faithful, true, and useful, and not to  
go back, or to stand still, but to go  
forward and make advancement in the  
Christian life, and thus grow in grace  
and in the knowledge of our Lord and  
Savior, Jesus Christ.

7. I also promise to contribute of  
my time and means to the extent of  
my ability for the maintenance of the  
varied interests of the church and the  
furtherance of the Gospel into all the  
world.

JOHN V. POTTS,  
North Robinson, Crawford Co., O.  
Wm. H. CONRAD, Assistant.

A boom to travelers. Dr. Fowler's  
Extract of Wild Strawberry Cures  
dysentery, diarrhea, seasickness,  
nausea. Pleasant to take. Perfectly  
harmless.

Free lunch all the time at  
the Manhattan Cafe. 8tf

OIL MARKET.

Tiona oil ..... \$1.37

Penna. oil ..... 1.22

Barnesville oil ..... .73

Somerset oil ..... .73

Corning oil ..... 1.05

New Castle oil ..... .97

North Lima oil ..... .89

South Lima oil ..... .84

Indiana oil ..... .84

White House oil ..... .92

Lacy oil ..... .75

New grain bags for sale at cost.

CLUTTER & LONG.

Mr. and Mrs. T. N. Arthur desire to  
express their sincere thanks to their  
friends for the kindness shown during  
their recent sorrow in the death of



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FOR SALE, ETC.  
WANTED.

ANTED—Man to make up an outfit  
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office.

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ANTED—Twenty moulder's at once;  
to strike new shop. Wilks Foundry  
Company, Toledo, O., east side. 9-27

ANTED—Situation by bookkeeper  
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ience, able to operate typewriter  
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address H. C. F. call Lima  
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RANTED—Two unfurnished front  
and back door with outside entrance  
and large hall, gas in room,  
no use of cellar. Inquire at 524  
Main street, or call up new  
telephone 5237.

RANTED—Good 8-room house, with  
modern improvements. 736 west  
Main street. Inquire at \$860 west  
Main street, old phone 8232-green,  
th-sat-mon.

FOR SALE.

SOLD—A new six-room house  
with basement, cedar, a good  
place to live in the house. In  
good condition. Inquire at 1060 Bel-  
levue Avenue.

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ANTED—One monthly payment  
house, piano, cost \$600, place  
in good condition. Now \$300 must be sold at  
least \$100. Inquire at 1015 Williams, 21 and  
the 22nd street block.

LOST.

LOST—A dog with several black  
marks on head. A reward  
will be paid for its return to  
the home of the lost. Wayne street.

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GEO. P. LULL,  
LOCAL TEACHER  
Instructor September  
1st, 1902, West Wayne Street,

## NOTHING

Retard the Construc-  
tion of the Line.

Operations Conducted Suc-  
cessfully and Quietly

At the Fort Wayne, Van Wert and  
Lima Traction Company is  
Ready to Proceed With  
the Real Work.

Information on that con-  
cerning yesterday's telegram, con-  
cerning incorporation of the Fort  
Wayne, Van Wert and Lima Traction  
Company is furnished by the Fort  
Wayne journal which has the follow-  
ing:

Fort Wayne, Van Wert and  
Lima traction company, with a capi-  
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## ALLEN COUNTY LEADS

In Excellent Showing Made in North-  
western Ohio During July.

Lucas County Looms up with an Increase Sur-  
prisingly Great for That Field—Ohio  
and Indiana Oil News.

The little pool in Jefferson town-  
ship, of Adams county, which the  
Bellevue Oil Co. revealed when they  
drilled in their No. 1 well on the J.  
translateral, or Finkoppe farm, some  
time ago, is again to the front with  
two big producers, one of which is on  
a par with any well drilled in Indiana  
for months. The devoece company  
has completed two more on the Hun-  
terton, which is located in the south-  
east quarter of section 4. Jefferson  
and No. 3 is thus far the best of the  
lot. It was shot and immediately re-  
sponded with a great flow, putting 360  
bbls of oil into the tanks in 24 hours.  
No. 2 was also a good one, making 150  
bbls the first day after it was shot.  
These wells are rather sure indica-  
tions that an extension to the Blue  
Creek or Chautauqua pool has been  
discovered, though it may be found  
to be spotted. Several other wells  
have been drilled in since the original  
Hunsterton was completed, but none  
have been more than ordinary  
productiveness. To the westward of  
these wells, Kenyon & Koller have  
completed a test of the Wm. Delavan  
farm, located in section 6, which was  
so entirely devoid of oil that it was  
thought useless to waste a shot.

Allen County Producers.

The little pool in section 34, of  
Pleasant township, Allen county, has  
brought another good producer, this  
one being the Columbia Petroleum  
company's No. 1 E. W. Woods in the  
northeast quarter of the section  
which put the little oil into the tank  
during the last 24 hours.

The Pleon Oil Co.'s No. 2 on the  
Calvin Hammon farm, southwest  
quarter of section 22, Richfield, was a  
small producer, and the Harry S. Stu-  
dyland Oil Co.'s No. 1 M. W. Williams  
so they made 15 bbls the first 24  
hours after shot.

This section of Pleasant, east of  
Belmont, and along the railroad  
from that place to Marion, is the  
extinct in all probability at present  
and the new wells have been where  
informally producers of the passing  
kind.

Along the north line of Jefferson  
township, McLeavish has completed  
No. 1 well on the H. Stevetham sec-  
tion 3, which encountered a dose of  
the same mud.

In the western Allen county fields  
the Federal Oil Co. & Henning com-  
pleted a 10-barreler in their No. 3 P.  
chain, section 11, Marion township, R.  
J. Strength's No. 1 Peter Wagner  
proved to be a 40-barrel producer.

Two dusters are the great in Shaw-  
nee township, one being the Union  
Gas & Oil Co.'s No. 1 J. Reed, section  
12, while the other was the Ohio Oil  
Co.'s No. 5 Sharp heirs farm, section  
24.

To those who have not followed  
the trend of work closely, the record  
of operations in the Buckeye oil field  
during July, will be somewhat of a  
surprise, but the results were to be  
expected after the strong campaign  
which has been during the spring  
months, and it is only surprising that  
larger decreases are not shown.

In the northwestern Ohio districts  
there were 326 wells completed, with  
a new production amounting to 5028,  
while 21 of the new wells were dusters.  
These figures are to be compared  
with 359 new wells and 5360  
bbls of new production for June, thus  
showing a decrease in the number of  
wells of 35 and a falling off in  
the amount of new production amount-  
ing to 332 bbls.

Likewise, there was a decrease of 23 in the number of  
dusters.

The record for the month of June  
was so surprisingly high, that it was  
hardly to be expected that July would  
come up to the same standard, and  
from the reports of new work under-  
way, it is probable that June will  
stand as the banner month of the  
year.

Allen Heads the List.

Allen county is in a class by itself  
according to the figures for the month  
just passed, the number of wells com-  
pleted showing a decrease of 4, never-  
theless the amount of new production  
for the county reveals a gain of 237  
bbls. From all indications, the future  
outlook for Allen county is better  
than for any other part of the north-  
western Ohio fields. At present the  
big wells are coming in with a rapidity  
which is surprising to the veteran  
operators, and as a rule these saying  
producers are found in territory  
which during previous periods of  
development had been thought to be  
thoroughly tested. There is evidently  
plenty of spare room within the  
borders of the county, but most of the

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hattan for 25 cents. 9tf

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## ONE

Arrest was Ordered  
Today

On the Charge

Of Selling Liquor to  
Minors.

Eli Brentlinger Alleged to  
Have Sold to Six Young  
Lads.

Arthur C. Reis Fined on the Charge  
of Petit Larceny—Two Women  
Fined for Disorderly  
Conduct.

TODAY, in mayor's court, a warrant  
was issued for the arrest of Eli Brentlinger,  
proprietor of a saloon near the C. H. & D. depot, against whom com-  
plaint has been made on the allegation  
of selling intoxicating drinks to minors.  
The name of six youths who  
are alleged to have purchased drinks  
at Brentlinger's place on July 16, are  
in the hands of the police and are as  
follows: Harry Bathoel, aged 8  
years; Robert Kelly, aged 11; Willie Cook, aged 11; Clarence Andrews, aged 16; Howard Bathoel, aged 16; Clifford Disney, aged 12. The defend-  
ant in the case has not yet been arraigned.

Fined Ten and Costs.

Arthur C. Reis, the south side young-  
man who was arrested day before yes-  
terday on a charge of having stolen  
\$10 from his roommate at the Alline  
hotel, was arraigned in mayor's court  
this morning. He pleaded guilty to  
the petit larceny charge, paid back the  
amount of money he had stolen from  
his friend and was fined ten dollars  
and costs for his escapade. He also  
paid a small bill at the Alline hotel.

For Disorderly Conduct.

Two females were among the sus-  
pects in the disorderly list in mayor's  
court this morning. They had been  
arrested by patrolmen Grant and Bill  
stein on charges of disorderly con-  
duct and will plead the forgivness and  
mercy of God, to the end that I may  
become a true and faithful follower of  
the Lord Jesus Christ.

4. I will confess in my life and  
with my mouth, the truth as it is in  
Christ. My tongue shall on all proper  
occasions speak forth the honor and  
praises of my Lord and Master, I will  
confess against unfaithfulness, and  
denial in any way, denying the  
Lord who has brought us, and who is  
saving us from sin. In my words, I  
will ever own confess and honor  
Christ, my Savior.

5. I will seek divine communion in  
the Spirit, that I may experience the  
divine favor, approval and enjoyment  
in my mind, soul and spirit; that I  
may know his love, and be satisfied  
with his presence and the guidance  
and contents of the spirit.

6. I will try to be steadfast, im-  
penetrable, always abounding in  
the work of the Lord. I will study how to  
be faithful, true, and useful, and not  
to go back, or to stand still, but to go  
forward and make advancement in the  
Christian life, and thus grow in grace  
and in the knowledge of our Lord and  
Savior, Christ.

7. I will seek divine communion in  
my time and means to the extent of  
my ability for the maintenance of the  
varied interests of the church and the  
furtherance of the Gospel into all the  
world.

JOHN V. POTTS,  
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121 east Edward street, Lima, O.  
Wm. H. CONRAD, Assistant.

A balm to triters. Dr. Foote's  
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dysentery, diarrhea, seasickness,  
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harmless.

AT THE BIG TENT

Rev. Sims will Preach To-  
morrow at Usual Hour.

For the Lord's day the themes will  
be: At 10:30, "I Am Not Ashamed  
of the Gospel of Christ;" at 7:30,  
"How Shall We Escape?"

The final service of the meeting  
under the direction of Revs. Updike  
and Easton was held last night. A  
very large audience gathered and  
listened to a powerful sermon by Rev.  
Updike and sweet singing by Prof.  
Easton and Miss Lizzie McKibben.

The sermon was on the theme  
"America" and pointed out the change  
to our fair land and the corrupting in-  
fluences within it. The remedy for  
all and for sick men being, not phi-  
lanthropic institutions but Christ.  
None of these should not Christ of His  
due while right in their place will  
never save the soul. The fathers,  
mothers and children of our land  
should study God's word and live by  
it. At the close an ice cream social  
was held and a very enjoyable time  
had. Prof. Easton left for his home  
in Chicago and Rev. Updike goes to  
Unipoli for Sunday. Many friends  
and well-wishers will pray for their  
success elsewhere. The meeting has  
an average production of 20-16 bbls,  
which is not bad for Lucas county.

Lucas is a Surprise.

Lucas county shows 12 new wells  
during the month of July, with a pro-  
duction amounting to 242 bbls, and no  
dry holes, thus revealing an increase  
of 6 in the number of wells and of 168  
bbls new production. A few of the  
wells were exceptionally large pro-  
ducers, and thus the increase in pro-  
duction was occasioned by these un-  
expected big ones. The Dodd farm,  
well in Waterville township, is re-  
ported as worth 125 bbls over half  
the new production for the county  
coming from this one well. Taken  
altogether, the new wells would show  
an average production of 20-16 bbls,  
which is not bad for Lucas county.

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**HARRY TRACY, OUTLAW**

When a Mere Boy He Became a Desperado.

**EXPERT AT UNDOING HANDCUFFS**

Desperate Criminal Who Has Terrorized the State of Washington Was on Several Occasions Sprung Handcuffs and Shackles While Walking With His Guards.

When Harry Tracy, the desperado who has terrorized all the state of Washington, was a small boy, he established his reputation as a dangerous criminal in Monroe county, Ia., says a dispatch from Albia, Ia., to the Philadelphia North American. Late in the fall of 1887 a fine road team belonging to R. O. Cramer of Albia was stolen from a stable in the heart of the city. The theft occurred at 9 o'clock in the evening and was so bold that persons who saw two men drive away from Cramer's barn with his blooded team supposed that the horses were being taken away with the permission of the owner.

After spending several thousand dollars in recovering his team Mr. Cramer and Sheriff Milt Forrest of Albia connected Tracy with the crime and found him in jail at Wyo, Neb. Extradition papers were secured, and Tracy was brought back to Albia for trial. But the work of the officers had only begun. The prisoner was locked in the county jail only a few hours when guards discovered that he had picked all the locks between himself and freedom and was about to make his escape.

Willing to trust the man in a cell, Sheriff Forrest ordered that he be taken to the Cramer hotel and kept in a room under the constant watch of guards. George and Frank Harris, two of the sheriff's deputies, were selected as the man's guards. Tracy warned them that they had undertaken a big job, and they exercised great care in making the prisoner's escape impossible. His clothing was all taken from him, and he was given wearing apparel which was known to be free from any sort of weapons or tools. The room was cleared of all furniture that was not absolutely necessary for the use of the prisoner and his guards.

Frank Harris agreed that he would be handcuffed with the prisoner and would sleep with him, thus making escape impossible. The door leading into the third story room, in which the man was imprisoned, was securely locked, and George Harris stood guard in the hall outside. In the middle of the first night the prisoner was kept in the hotel Frank Harris awoke and discovered that Tracy had sprung the handcuff from his wrist and was standing at the door, which he had unlocked without the aid of any tool. A broom straw afterward found on the floor was supposed to have been the means of picking the lock.

On other occasions Tracy sprung handcuffs and shackles while walking with his guards. His great skill at manipulating locks baffled all guards, and finally Sheriff Forrest was compelled to send the man to the state penitentiary at Fort Madison, Ia., where he was kept until time for his appearance in court. During his trial a small army of men watched him constantly. A woman who gave her name as Minnie Allen was arrested in connection with the theft of Cramer's horses, and it was shown that she joined Tracy and his partner somewhere in Missouri and traveled with them to St. Joseph, Mo. She was tried at the same time Tracy was, but was not convicted.

Tracy was convicted and sentenced to seven years in the Fort Madison penitentiary. He made the boast that he would escape from the officers on the way to prison, but a large guard made his escape impossible and finally landed him behind the bars, where he remained for five years. He was a model prisoner, and his sentence was commuted on account of his good behavior. He was employed in the blacksmithing department during his imprisonment and proved to be a skillful workman.

**Chemical Food.**  
(Professor Petholes of the College of France foresees in the "Chemical Synthesis of Aliments" the economical emanation of the human race—Paris Cor., London Daily News.)

You who now in pain and sorrow Life's sad suffrances most rue, Come for a visit tomorrow. Science has in store for you. Let it give, for your content, Scientific ailment.

No, no more with arduous labor Need his bread the peasant earn; Journal strains of pipe and labor For the future he may learn. Wherefore should he till the field? All he needs will yield yield.

Sweets from Hybla or from Narbonne, Luscious boozes of Samian wine, Reveling in hydrocarbon.

These the epicure declines While he fills his aching void With some choice albuminoid.

Yes, henceforward shall the glutton Out of humor now with beef, Jaded with insipid mutton, To his infinite relief, When his former diet fails "Virtual free" on chemicals.

—Punch.

**PAID \$5 FOR VIOLIN SOLO.**

Visitor at Ocean Grove, N. J., Bids For Reception of a Hymn.

"I'll give a dollar to have that young lady violinist repeat that solo," exclaimed a man who said he was from Alabama at the young people's meeting in the Temple at Ocean Grove, N. J., the other morning, says the New York Times, after Miss Cecilia Bradford had played "Safe in the Arms of Jesus."

"You'll have to bid higher, brother," Leader Yatman remarked.

"Well, \$2, then."

"Make it \$5 and I'll ask Miss Bradford to repeat the solo."

"Here's the money," said the southerner, handing the evangelist a green-bank.

Miss Bradford then played the hymn again. When she had finished, Mr. Yatman said:

"Half of the money I will turn into the fund being raised for the marine carnival on Wesley lake, and the other half I will give to Miss Bradford to spend for ice cream."

As soon as the meeting adjourned the violinist gathered her friends about her and started for a nearby ice cream parlor.

**A New Powder.**

France has secured the patent rights of a new nitro-glycerine powder which,

if it is contended, will send a rifle bullet seven and a half miles and increase the artillery range to eighteen miles.

**HEAD OF NEW OIL TRUST.**

Patent Wealth of John D. Rockefeller and Standard Oil Company.

The Standard Oil company, which is at the head of the new oil trust, is capitalized at \$100,000,000 under the laws of the state of New Jersey, but is worth at least a billion and a half because of the appreciation of its stock, says the New York Journal.

This octopus, which has from its modest beginning brought about a community of interests in the oil business of the world, forcing the house of the Rothschilds to come to its terms, is the owner of fleets of buildings, towns, plants that cover miles of territory, thousands of railroad oil cars and 20,000 miles of oil tubing.

In its possession is nearly all of the oil land in America north of Texas, some of it—and the greatest holding—is in western Pennsylvania and West Virginia. Its grasp has extended to nearly every country in the world controlling the trade in nearly every section, and so profitable has become its trade that in 1890 the profits amounted to \$48,000,000 and have been increasing at a prolific rate every year since.

Of John D. Rockefeller's holdings in the Standard Oil alone an intimate of the financier remarked in Wall street recently, "I should say that Mr. Rockefeller is worth today a little less than a thousand million dollars. Take his holdings in Standard Oil alone.

They have been worth during the present year more than \$300,000,000, but it must be remembered that Mr. Rockefeller, who squanders less than most rich men on his personal wants, has been growing rich at the rate of compound interest.

"I don't think any man will deny that Mr. Rockefeller has made an average of \$30,000,000 a year for ten years. The reinvestment of this sum alone, supposing he had no principal, at 5 per cent compound interest would mean the addition of more than \$400,000 to his riches."

"But the securities from which this income has been derived have steadily increased in value. His Standard Oil holdings in three or four years have doubled in market value, his railway and other securities have advanced tremendously, and in the past three years his wealth has increased in a sum which would astonish the American people if the actual figures were laid before them.

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**CHIEF**

Goes Up One Notch  
Higher.

**Headquarters**

Opened In City Building Today.

**Mayor's Office Now Used by  
Chief and Day Sergeant  
of Police.**

Bobbies of Subordinate Rank will  
Go up Stairs to Answer Roll  
Call—Quick Service  
at Station.

The Lima police department is becoming more metropolitan in its system. Since the increase was made in the number of patrolmen a few months ago Chief Mill has faithfully at work to try to figure out what more and more is needed to improve the protection of the city. One of the most important changes that he has yet decided to implement was inaugurated. The mayor's office or court room which contains two rooms at the back of the third or second floor will henceforth be private headquarters and the station below will be the headquarters of the night captain and sergeant and the patrolmen. Chief Mills and day sergeant Wingate have placed their desks in the new headquarters on the second floor and all business pertaining to the department that comes under their jurisdiction will be transacted there. At the hour of roll call all the patrolmen will assemble at the station and will march in a body to the new headquarters and the men who are going off duty will not remove their uniforms until after they have been dismissed from roll call.

A speaking tube will be put in to connect the station with the chief's headquarters, and through this officers will be issued when a prisoner is to be taken into the court room or at arraignment or trial. Telephones will be placed in the new headquarters.

The duties of the day patrolmen have been so arranged that there will always be one man at the station in the morning on the central beats who patrol to noon from 7 a.m. to 12 m. capable of riding a bicycle in order that all calls may be responded to promptly and speedily.

**Michael's Monday special.  
Boy's 25c cloth and washable  
knee pants at 15c.**

THE IDLER.

Couldn't Stand the Trusts  
The three-cent lunch establishment which was recently opened up in the Huron block on east Market street has disappeared and the room is for rent. The price of provisions has gone too high to permit the three-cent lunch business to be profitable.

**Home from the Philippines**  
Ray Polling a well known young man of this city returned home yesterday from the Philippines where he experienced nearly three years of regular arms service on Luzon and Samar islands.

Thought She was Drowning

Yesterday a party of Wabakonets people picniced at McBeth's and one of the party a lady weighing about 200 pounds fell into the lake at a point where the water was only about four feet deep—before she fell in she was so frightened that she failed to heed the cries of her friends who called to her to stand up and continued to flounder frantically in the wet water until three or four men rescued her.

Wonder Who Did the Killing  
C. H. Atkins and C. S. Keller went squirrel hunting yesterday and brought home a very fine bunch of the bushy-tailed little animals. They refuse to tell who killed the squirrels for them.

Injured White Squirrel Hunting

Yesterday while O. W. Carolus of the Gazette and Otto G. Tague were out squirrel hunting the former in jumping over a fence landed with one foot in hole and as a result sustained a very severe fracture. His companion assisted him to their buggy and hurried back to the city and Drs. Collins and Horner reduced the fracture. Mr. Carolus is now in the city hospital.

**GOLD BRICK**

Purchased by a Prominent Local Law Firm.

Paid Four Dollars for One Hundred "Cuban" Cigars That Sell for "Three-fers" at Wapak.

**PAID**

His Initiation and Dues  
And Now Asks

That He Derive Some of the Benefits.

C. H. & D. Employees' Association Made Defendant in Action for Money.

The Plaintiff Claims There is Due Him the Sum of \$60 by Way of the Pecuniary Relief, and Wants it Paid.

The Lima C. H. & D. Shop employees Benefit association and its officers are named as defendants in a suit begun yesterday by one of its members, namely Joseph Wise. The officers given are as follows: T. Long, president; Thomas High, vice president; Walter Calvert, treasurer; Hugh Thomas, secretary; Martin Dubbing, O. Hance, J. Noel, W. Sells and Fred Bettwinski, trustees.

The complaint amounts up to the refusal of the association to pay the plaintiff's claim of \$10 for sick benefits. He says that he has been a constant member of the association for twelve years, having paid his initiation of 25 cents and the same amount each month as dues.

The object of the association as defined by the petition is the pecuniary relief of members who are prevented from working on account of sickness or infirmity and the amount allowed is \$5 per week for the first ten weeks and \$2 thereafter. The plaintiff says he has been unable to do manual labor since the 1st of last September, but that the association has refused to allow him the benefits his membership entitles him to.

Furthermore he says the association now refuses to receive from him any dues and has excluded him from membership. He asks judgment for \$60 and that the court order the association to restore him as a member in good standing.

**FORMER**

Lima Young Man Died Yesterday, at Alliance, O.

Mrs. Anna Devine Receives the Sad Announcement of the Death of One of Her Sons.

Mr. Anna Devine of 41 North Elizabeth's recent received the sad intelligence this morning of the death of his son Will Dean, which occurred suddenly in Alliance, Ohio, at 10 o'clock yesterday. The messenger gave no particulars of his sudden taking off.

The deceased had been employed in a livery barn at that place and was well the last time his family heard from him. His mother, John Devine of Newark, was notified of his death and went to Alliance. He will bring the body to this city for interment.

**REMAINS**

Of Mrs. Eliza Cunningham Consigned to Rest.

The funeral services of Mrs. Eliza Cunningham, conducted by Rev. Pigley, were held this afternoon at 2 o'clock from the residence on south West street and were largely attended by the old friends and neighbors of the deceased.

Many were the tears shed at the bier of one who in life commanded the respect and admiration of true friends who showed by their flowers and attendance their sincerity and grief. The following old friends of the deceased and family acted as pall bearers: Capt. Dobbins, Judge F. D. Robb, Jacob Custer, Samuel Keve, A. Smith and John C. Douglas of Forest O.

**KNOCKED**

Off His Wheel and Sustains Fractured Ribs.

Charles Vortkamp, the thirteen year old son of Dr. H. F. Vortkamp was seriously injured today. The boy was on a bicycle crossing the public square and attempted to pass one of the heavy wagons of the City Transfer Co. At the same time the driver turned the team of mules to which the boy was attached, and collision resulted. When the lad was picked up it was found that he had sustained a fracture of one rib and was painfully bruised about one arm. No blame is attached to the driver of the wagon.

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**DR. RUDY**

Will Speak to Boys' Gospel Regiment Tomorrow.

Preparations are Being Made for Memorial Services in Respect to Rev. W. H. Leatherman.

Dr. A. S. Rudy will be the speaker at the meeting of the Boys' Gospel Regiment tomorrow in the big tent which is so finely located on Mr. W. L. Russell's lot on west Market street. Last Sunday's meeting was not so large as the officers of the regiment would like to see but the spirit shown by those present was something fine. It was announced that Dr. Thomson had secured all but five dollars to pay for the rent and when asked if they wished to pay the remainder they were unanimous in saying an emphatic yes and in a very few minutes the whole amount was pledged.

The meeting itself was very interesting. Mr. Chester Reynolds who spoke on the Pleasures of Camp Life held the close attention of his hearers and drew a vivid picture of life in camp. He was heartily applauded by the regiment.

A week from tomorrow special services will be held in the tent in memory of Rev. W. H. Leatherman who so nobly gave up his life in a heroic attempt to save the life of a boy.

The meetings are all open to boys between 12 and 18 years of age and all school children invited to be present tomorrow.

The regiment assembles at the YMCA at 12 o'clock and the meeting begins at 1 p.m.

**From Hot to Cold**

This winter is prevalent everywhere in summer and is due to intestinal poisons and begins abruptly with inflammation of the mucous lining of the large bowel. In America the disease is common but properly treated does not result as seriously as in the tropics. Perry Davis Painkiller is the best known remedy and the most efficacious in the treatment of dysentery.

**ORDINANCE**

Cuts No Figure with the New York Flyer.

Wreck at Ft. Wayne Caused a Delay

And to Make it Up, the Thunderbolt Shot Through Lima Yesterday at a Mile-a-Minute Clip.

An accident occurred at Ft. Wayne yesterday and four freight cars were derailed in such a manner as to block the main track and delay the passenger trains. The twenty-hour New York flyer was held up and lost 25 minutes valuable time but made it up before Crestline was reached.

The train dashed through Lima at a mile a minute speed taking street and railroad crossings with an utter disregard of previous records yesterday and last night. The Sentinel is not furnished with exact figures, but learns that the number of cars out of Crestline between the hours of 6 yesterday morning and this morning was between 1,100 and 1,200 and came nearer the latter than the former figures.

Estimating fifty cars to the train it would make the number of trains sent out of Crestline westbound during the period mentioned twenty-four. It is fair to presume that at least two-thirds as many cars were moving eastward during the day, which brings the total movement up to the 2,600 point. The best previous record of cars out of Crestline on the western division was 1,054, nearly if not quite 150 short of the record established yesterday—Ft. Wayne Sentinel.

**A Record Broken**

In the way of westbound business

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**Real Estate Transfers.**

Jennie Busche to Henry Steel 20 acres of land in Monroe township \$1,550.

G. W. Feltz to S. H. Sanford north one-third of outlet 213 Scott's subdivision to Lima, \$20,26.

W. T. Agerter to J. E. DeVoe in lot 522 Park addition to Lima \$350.

J. E. DeVoe to Rose Hess same, \$175.

Ephraim Sawmiller to Elmira M. Leffel in lot 146 Spencerville \$400.

Edward A. Graff to E. J. Leehey in lot 320 Ewings addition to Lima \$1,200.

**OPEN AIR SERVICE**

West of Lima College, at Mr. Morris, Sunday evening, August 5th, at 4 o'clock, conducted by the Superintendent of the Union Mission. All are invited.

**DR. RUDY**

Will Speak to Boys' Gospel

Regiment Tomorrow.

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**A STRONG, VIGOROUS MAN**  
Is Liable to Break Down—Peru-na Sure to Restore.

**A TONIC** is a medicine that goes to some part of the system, are different kinds of tonics most needed in this case where catarrh is so prevalent.

Peruna is a tonic to the mucous membranes of the whole body. It gives to the capillary circulation what constitutes these delicate membranes.

Peruna is a specific in its action upon the mucous membranes, a tonic that strikes at the root of catarrhal affections. It gives tone to minute blood vessels and the nerve fibers. Catarrh cannot exist where Peruna is used internally. Peruna seeks out catarrh in all the den parts of the body.

Paul Landrum writing from Atlanta, Ga., says:

"In January last I began the use of your Peru-na and Man-a-lin for what I termed organic heart trouble. At that time I could scarcely walk or do my business without strength failing. On arrival felt completely exhausted. Had severe pains in my heart and dizziness. After using the Peru-na I began to improve and feel that I am a sound man and fourteen hours a day without any feeling." —Paul Landrum.

A. M. Ikard, an employee of the G. Q. R. R., West Burlington, Iowa, writes:

"I had catarrh of the stomach and small intestines for a number of years. I went to a number of doctors and got no relief. Finally one of my relatives sent me to Chicago and I met Dr. Hartman. They said they could do nothing for me, that I had cancer of the stomach and there was no cure. I felt the same, for my breath was very awful. I could hardly stand up, so offensive. I could not eat and without great misery, and I gradually grew worse.

"Finally I got one of your boxes and concluded I would try Peru-na and God, I found a relief and a cure for this dreadful disease. I took five bottles of Peru-na and two of Man-a-lin, and I feel like a new man. There is no better than Peru-na, and I keep it in my house all the time." —A. M. Ikard.

If you do not derive prompt and satisfactory results from the use of Peru-na write at once to Dr. Hartman, giving full statement of your case and we shall be pleased to give you his valuable service gratis.

Address Dr. Hartman, President, The Hartman Sanitarium, Columbus, Ohio.

**Hon. Frank Dunn, Alderman Twenty-Fourth District, writes from 232 East Fifty-Eighth Street, New York City:**  
**The Peru-na Medicine Co., Columbus, O.:**

**Gentlemen:** "There is no remedy for a broken-down system that I know of which will so effectively restore health as Peru-na.

"Whenever I am overworked or suffer from the consequences of a cold a few doses of Peru-na builds me up again more quickly than anything I ever tried. I find it especially valuable for catarrh. Three bottles cured me three years ago of catarrh of the stomach and I have never had the least symptoms of it since."

Very truly,

FRANK DUNN, Alderman 24th Dist., N. Y. City.

**EPISODE**

In the Race Won by Pearl Lester.

One of the Judges Held an Opposite Opinion

And Wanted to Fine the Driver of Junius, Whom He Claimed Did Not Try to Win the Race.

The announcement that Pearl Lester, owned by Frank Baxter, had won the 2,500 paces at Columbus Wednesday was good news here, I home, but according to the Columbus Press there was a desire on the part of at least one of the judges to rob her of the honor and at the same time punish the driver of Junius the favorite in the race.

The Press in speaking of the incident says that there were several little sensations during the day, not the least of which was the contention of the judges in the 2,500 class pace.

One of the judges had been watching the work of Junius and was not satisfied that the horse was being driven to win. In the first place, he was not scored up with the others and in the second place it was thought he was not driven during the race. One judge stated that he thought all pools should be declared off and that the driver should be fined \$100 for the work behind Junius. The other two judges would not listen to the proposition and the betters had to stand by the decision. What the fact was creates a difference of opinion, but one of the judges was very positive in his belief so positive that he declared himself in unmistakable terms.

**Another Incident**

Another matter that caused some talk was the second heat of the same race. A large majority of the people thought J. C. T. winner of this heat. As the horse had already won the first heat, the race would have been his. But the heat went to Pearl Lester and the race eventually to that mare. The judges gave the honest opinion that Pearl Lester won the heat in question. But one of them thought J. C. T. won the heat, and he was outweighed by the others. The question having

arisen a kick was given by the judges to the tail of the wire. The wire is strong where it does absolutely no good. The judges are on the second floor of the stand and the wire is strong from the third floor. The result is that if they look up to the wire they can't see the horses and if they look down to the horses they can't see the wire. One of the judges declared that mistakes must occur under that arrangement and that he would not enter the stand at Thursday's races unless the difficulty was remedied. He declared it a very peculiar arrangement that made it impossible for the judges to rob her of the benefit of the wire in aiding them to tell which horse won a heat.

That it is lawful to kill squirrels and woodcock from August 1st to September 1st that a person who is a non-resident of the state shall procure a hunting license from the state Clerk and pay a fee of \$25 for the license but that residents of the State do not have to pay any license. That it is lawful to hunt without a license or a hunting written permission from the owner or authorized agent. A person shall kill in any one day more than ten squirrels.

Rabbit hunting between Nov. 10th and December 1st also from Aug. 1st to Sept. 1st. No more than one rabbit shall be killed by one person in one day, nor more than six rabbits in one day. And no person shall shoot any bird except when equal are flying.

Niagara Falls, Toronto, Chautauqua, Jamestown, Lak